(b) whether Government have obtained vital statistics in this regard;

(c) whether any effort has been made to concentrate on the Eastern off-shore oil fields of Andhra Pradesh coast; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI T.R. BAALU): (a) At the current rate of withdrawals, the presently estimated reserves of oil in the Western Off-shore will last for about 21 years.

(b) All relevant data on different oil fields is collected and updated on a regular basis.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. Government of India has offered discovered oil fields in the Eastern Off-shore basin including the Andhra Pradesh offshore for development by private sector/joint venture arrangements.

Export of Nuclear Power Plants

767. SHRI VEDPRAKASH P. GOYAL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Nuclear Power Corporation of India is going to form a consortium of Indian Companies, both in the public and the private sectors, to export nuclear power plants;

(b) if so, whether some countries have shown interest in India designed and built reactors using natural uranium as fuel;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) the names of Indian companies which are likely to join the consortium;

(e) the sources of funds for the proposed consortium; and

(f) the names of the nuclear power plants which the NPC has set up in the past or is in the process of setting up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (SHRI YOGINDER K. ALAGH): (a) to (e) No, Sir. Nuclear Power Corporation has taken the initiative in organisation the Indian industrial forum to serve as a common platform for exchanging information on nuclear technology and to promote the cause of nuclear power through active co-operation among the Department of Atomic Energy and other Government agencies, the nuclear industry and the public. The forum would mainly assist in exchange of information, increasing public awareness, promoting international co-operation, undertaking studies and publications, etc. Funds for these activities are proposed to be met through yearly membership fee, donation and sponsorship by the members of the forum. If the stage for actual co-operation on production or trade arises, the Forum can discuss the modalities.

(f) The nuclear power plants currently in operation are located at Tarapur (TAPS—1 & 2) in Maharashtra, Kota (RAPS—1 & 2) in Rajasthan, Madras (MAPS—1 & 2) in Tamil Nadu, Narora (NAPS—1 & 2) in U.P. and Kakrapar (KAPS—1 & 2) in Gujarat. The plants currently under construction are Kaiga—1 & 2 in Karnataka and Rajasthan—3 & 4. The projects proposed in the Ninth Five Year Plan are Tarapur—3 & 4, Kaiga—3 & 4 and Kudankulam—1 & 2 in Tamil Nadu.

Priority allotment of DDA Flats

768. SHRI O.P. KOHLI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of DDA flats allotted on priority by empowered committee since its inception, till date, year-wise, alongwith the details of allottees, giving reasons for making allotments;

(b) the schemes under which the flats so allotted were constructed and what is the position of the waiting registrants;

(c) whether the allottees on priority basis were registered under any scheme; and

(d) the steps taken to suspend the priority allotment; if not the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. U. VENKATESWARLU): (a) Since the inception of the Empowered Committee on 1-5-92, following number of DDA flats have been allotted on out of turn basis:

Year	No. of flats
1992	Nil
1993	99
1994	49
1995	19

The names of the allottees alongwith the reasons for making out of turn allotment are given in the statement (*see* below).

(b) The quota for out of turn allotment is 2½% of the flats constructed under each scheme of DDA. The position of waiting registrants under different categories, as reported by the DDA, is as under:

SFS	Nil
MIG	16444
LIG	24707
Janta (JHRS-96)	16333

(c) According to the guidelines on the subject, applications for out of turn allotment of DDA flats are not required to be registered under any Housing Scheme of DDA.

(d) The provisions relating to out of turn allotment of DDA flats have been made with a view to helping genuine and hard cases such as those of physically handicapped persons, war widows, victims of terrorists activities etc. Being a welfare measure, it may not be desirable to abolish or withdraw these provisions.

Statement

S. No.	Name of the Applicant	Ground for allotment	Registered/ Un-registered
1.	Miss G. Sandhya	Comp.	Regd.
2.	Sh. Jadbir Singh	Comp.	Un-registered
3.	Smt. Suguna Swaminathan	Widow	-do-
4.	Sh. Harkamal Jit Singh	Comp.	-do-
5.	Mrs. Anjali Issar	Widow	-do-
6.	Mrs. Manjula Malok	-do-	-do-
7.	Smt. Rita Verma	-do-	-do-
8.	Capt.. A.C. Sharma	P.H.	-do-
9.	Capt. Rakesh Rana	Compt.	-do-
10.	Sh. S.S. Wirk, IPS	-do-	-do-
11.	Jagmohan Sapra	-do-	-do-
12.	C. Gopalan	-do-	-do-
13.	Smt. Mona Gulamqqdir	-do-	registered
14.	Smt. Asha Bavoja	Widow	Un-registered
15.	T.R. Malakar	Compt.	-do-
16.	Smt. Ritu Shankala	Widow	-do-
17.	Mohinder Lal	Compt.	-do-
18.	Smt. Santosh Kumari	Widow	-do-
19.	Smt. Sundeep Singh	-do-	-do-
20.	Smt. Godha Devi	Compt/Widow	-do-
21.	Smt. Rajini Bhagat	Widow	registered

S. No.	Name of the Applicant	Ground for allotment	Registered/ Un-registered
22.	Smt. Priya Dabir	-do-	Un-registered
23.	Smt. Jiga Tikoo	-do-	-do-
24.	Sh. M.S. Sokhoon	Compt.	-do-
25.	Mrs. Vimla Tayagi	Widow	-do-
26.	Smt. Usha Singh	-do-	-do-
27.	Smt. Anita Gauri	Compt.	-do-
28.	Major K.G. Chatterjee	-do-	-do-
29.	Acharya Ganpati Rai	-do-	-do-
30.	Smt. Poonam Talwar	Widow	-do-
31.	Anil Kumar Tanwar	Compt.	-do-
32.	Lakshmi Kumari	Widow	registered
33.	Smt. Satyawath	-do-	Un-registered
34.	Big. S. Narula	Compt.	-do-
35.	Mrs. Tripat Kaur	Widow	-do-
36.	Mrs. Majit Bhaliwal	-do-	-do-
37.	Sydney R. Raborie	Compt.	-do-
38.	Smt. Sugantha Venkataraman	Widow	-do-
39.	Smt. Kailash Pati, M.P.	Widow	-do-
40.	Sh. Ali Sher	Compt.	-do-
41.	Sh. Subhash Chand	P.H.	-do-
42.	Sh. Udhav Dass	-do-	-do-
43.	Sh. Ram Singh Kinchee	-do-	-do-
44.	Mrs. Manju Aggarwal	-do-	-do-
45.	Dr. B. K. Sharma	-do-	-do-
46.	Annop Kumar Shhay	-do-	-do-
47.	Miss Asha Takkar	-do-	-do-
48.	Miss Asha Katha	-do-	-do-
49.	Mrs. Kirna Sahahgal	-do-	-do-
50.	Mohinder Kumar Rastogi	-do-	-do-
51.	Raj Kumar Sharma	-do-	-do-
52.	Mrs. Usha Sinha	-do-	registered
53.	Sh. Brijesh Chadha	-do-	Un-registered
54.	Sh. Darshan Lal	-do-	-do-
55.	Sh. V.P. Sharma	-do-	-do-
56.	Sh. Parabhati Ram	-do-	-do-
57.	Sh. Bidindora Rastogi	-do-	-do-
58.	Sh. P.K. Biswas	-do-	-do-
59.	Sh. Dharam Gaj Singh	-do-	-do-
60.	Kr. Sherry Arya	-do-	-do-
61.	Shri Anil Kapoor	P.H.	-do-
62.	Smt. Joginder	-do-	-do-
63.	Smt. Dharshan Vashishth	Compt.	-do-
64.	Sh. K. Suryanarayanan	-do-	-do-
65.	Shri G.S. Randhawa	-do-	-do-
66.	Shri S.K. Sirwastava	-do-	-do-
67.	Dr. I.K. Barthakur	-do-	-do-
68.	Smt. Krishana Kumari Kureel	-do-	-do-

S. No.	Name of the Applicant	Ground for allotment	Registered/ Un-registered
69.	Smt. Chand Rani	-do-	-do-
70.	Smt. Parveen Dagar	-do-	-do-
71.	Mrs. Madhumita Bist	-do-	-do-
72.	Dr. Rameshwar Tiwari	-do-	-do-
73.	Smt. Anupamjit Kaur	-do-	-do-
74.	Smt. Jayshee Joshi	Compt.	-do-
75.	Mrs. Geeta Rainnboth	-do-	registered
76.	Ms. Sheila Chaman	-do-	Un-registered
77.	Mrs. Aruna Singh	-do-	-do-
78.	Mr. Ritu Nath	-do-	-do-
79.	Ms. Lekha Bahal	-do-	-do-
80.	Bakin Pert-in	Compt.	-do-
81.	Mrs. Chanchal	-do-	-do-
82.	M.A. Khan	-do-	-do-
83.	Dr. Barsano Lal Chaturvadi	-do-	-do-
84.	Sh. Bishambar Singh	-do-	-do-
85.	Smt. Oma Kaul	Widow	-do-
86.	Mrs. Bina Khanna	-do-	-do-
87.	Sh. Naresh Kumar	Compt.	-do-
88.	Mrs. Savita Sharma	Widow	-do-
89.	Smt. Sheela Devi	-do-	-do-
90.	Smt. Krishan Mangalkar	-do-	-do-
91.	Smt. Sneh Lata Gogia	P.H.	-do-
92.	Sh. Ved Prakash	Compt.	No
93.	Sh. Satish Kumar	Arjuna Awardee	No
94.	Sh. H.N. Mukherjee	Compt.	No
95.	Smt. Rina Dennis	Widow	No
96.	Sh. Jas Bahadur Thapa	Vir Chakra Awardee	No
97.	Smt. Vandna	Widow	No
98.	Smt. Madhu Sharma	Widow	No
99.	Smt. Kamlesh	Widow	No
YEAR—1994			
1.	Mrs. Rashna Lamba	P.H.	Un-registered
2.	Mrs. Ranu Bala Gupta	Widow	registered
3.	Mrs. Ranu Raina	-do-	Un-registered
4.	Mrs. Krishana	-do-	-do-
5.	Mrs. Vijay Bala Sharma	-do-	-do-
6.	Smt. Kim Nagurdingilion Sant	-do-	-do-
7.	Dr. M.K. Magazine	Compt.	-do-
8.	Sh. Om Prakash Sharka	-do-	-do-
9.	Dharminder Singh Yadav	-do-	-do-
10.	Sh. M. Vanugopala Rao	-do-	-do-
11.	Smt. Nirmal Bhagoy	Widow	-do-
12.	Smt. Inder Gill	-do-	registered
13.	Smt. Veena Shashi	-do-	Un-registered
14.	Smt. Suman Arora	Widow	-do-
15.	Miss Punit	P.H.	-do-
16.	Sh. Anil Bhan	Compt.	-do-

S. No.	Name of the Applicant	Ground for allotment	Registered/ Un-registered
17.	Smt. Veena Prasad	Widow	-do-
18.	Ashok Kumar Patel	Compt.	-do-
19.	Smt. Brij Rani Sharma	P.H.	-do-
20.	Sm. Padamshri Virondra Pradhakar	Compt.	-do-
21.	Comt. Adhiraj Singh	Compt.	-do-
22.	Sh. Rajinder Singh	-do-	-do-
23.	Mrs. R.M. Bathow	-do-	-do-
24.	Mrs. Yasmin Saifullah	-do-	registered
25.	Miss. Nirma	-do-	-do-
26.	Sh. Jayant Bhattarcharjee	-do-	Un-registered
27.	Mrs. Kirshana	Widow	-do-
28.	Ram Rattan Ram	Compt.	-do-
29.	Dr. Alka Bakshi	Widow	No
30.	Smt. Beena Sahani	Widow	No
31.	Shri Suresh Ajmani	Phy. Handicapped (Blind)	No
32.	Smt. Bimla Aneja	-do-	No
33.	Smt. Kiran Tripathi	Widow	No
34.	Smt. Sarla Devi	Widow	No
35.	Sh. Budh Prakash Chaturvedi & Smt. Chandra Kanta Chaturvedi	Phy. Handicapped	No
36.	Smt. Renu Joshi	Widow	No
37.	Smt. Kalpana Rani Mittal	Phy. Handicapped	No
38.	Sh. M.N. Kaul	Comp. Grounds	Yes
39.	Sh. Som Dutt Sharma	Phy. Handicapped	No
40.	Smt. Saraswati Devi	Widow	No
41.	Km. Renu Saini	Phy. Handicapped	No
42.	Smt. Om Dhara	Widow	No
43.	Smt. Sheela Devi	Widow	No
44.	Sh. Kula Nand	Phy. Handicapped	No
45.	Smt. Rashma Devi	Widow	No
46.	Sh. Murari Lal	Phy. Handicapped	No
47.	Smt. Sapna	Widow	No
48.	Sh. Tapeshwar Prasad	Phy. Handicapped	No
49.	Smt. Prabha	Widow	No
YEAR 1995			
1.	Sh. Wazahat Habibullah	Comp. Ground	Un-registered
2.	Sh. Raman Trivedi	-do-	-do-
3.	Sh. Tirath Raj	-do-	-do-
4.	Sh. Diljeet Singh Pannun	-do-	-do-
5.	Smt. Rashami Bakshi	-do-	-do-
6.	Sh. Mansher Singh	-do-	-do-
7.	Sh. N. Damodaran Nair	-do-	-do-
8.	Smt. Lakshmi Sundaram	Widow	-do-
9.	Sh. M. Bhuvaneshwari Kumar	Comp.	-do-
10.	Sh. Atul Wasan	-do-	-do-
11.	Smt. Sangeta Singh	Widow	-do-
12.	Miss Sunita D. Dodam	Comp.	-do-

S. No.	Name of the Applicant	Ground for allotment	Registered/ Un-registered
13.	Mrs. Vandana Singh	Widow	-do-
14.	Mrs. Anita Bhalla	-do-	-do-
15.	Mrs. Vina Shahi	-do-	-do-
16.	Miss Gita R. Chopra	-do-	-do-
17.	Miss Menisashi Sinha	Compt.	-do-
18.	Smt. Amardeep Jha	Widow	No
19.	Miss Shakuntala Aggarwal	Phy. Handicapped	No

Allocations for poverty alleviation programmes

769. SHRI IQBAL SINGH: Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS & EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the budget allocations made in 1996-97 for various poverty alleviation programmes being implemented for the benefit of the poor and weaker sections of society in the country particularly in Punjab;

(b) whether Government propose to introduce any new schemes for the poor people in the country;

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the effective measures being taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI CHANDRADEO PRASAD VARMA): (a) Major poverty alleviation programmes being implemented by the Centre for the benefit of rural poor & weaker sections of the society in various States of the country including the State of Punjab are Jawahar Rozger Yojana (JRY), Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY), Million Wells Scheme (MWS), Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP), Training of Rural Youth for Self Employment (TRYSEM), Development of Women and Children in Rural Areas (DWCRA) and National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP). The budget allocations made for 1996-97 for the above programmes are as under:—

(Rs. in lakhs)

Programme	Amount allocated	
	Punjab	All India
JRY	871.51	186500.00
IAY	556.24	119400.00
MWS	217.82	44800.00
IRDP	521.53	109721.16
TRYSEM	43.00	9025.00
DWCRA	116.88	6500.00
NSAP	556.71	93200.00

(b) and (c) There is no proposal under consideration with the Government to introduce new schemes in the country at present.

(d) Government have taken various measures like increasing the productivity of assets, increasing the level of investment per family, involvement of Gram Sabhas in selection of beneficiaries, promotion of group activities, targetting literate unemployed youth for providing subsidy, abolishing of cut off line in IRDP backending subsidy, shifting emphasis to financial targets, rigorous monitoring of programmes, etc. for effective implementation of poverty alleviation programmes.

Requirement and production of LPG

770. SHRI SANJAY DALMIA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the details regarding the total requirement of LPG in terms of tonnage, as against its production at present;